MEETING INFORMATION PUBLIC NOTICE VIRGINIA STATE SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Review of Policies and Procedures in State Operated Programs and the Virginia Schools for the Deaf and Blind Review Process and Agenda

The State Special Education Advisory Committee meetings are open to the public. This special subcommittee meeting includes time to receive public comment. For additional information or if special accommodations are needed, please contact Ms. Diana Molnar, Assistant to the Director of State Operated Programs, Virginia Department of Education, P.O. Box 2120, Richmond, VA 23218-2120; telephone 804/786-8079, TDD 804/371-2822. The State Special Education Advisory Committee's subcommittee to review State Operated Programs will hold its meeting on March 31, 2003 from 1:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Virginia Department of Education, PDS Room #2, Richmond, Virginia (phone 804-786-8079, Diana Molnar). The PDS Rooms are located on the mezzanine adjacent to the cafeteria. Refer to the attached agenda for information about the order of events. The public comment period will be from 3:00 to 3:15 p.m. More time for public comment will be added as needed. Those wishing to make public comment but not able to attend the meeting may submit a statement that will be read to the committee to the Director of State Operated Program's office as stated above.

SSEAC Subcommittee Members: Stan Boren (chair), Shirley Ricks, Cindy Mills, Fannie Page, Carmon Sanchez, Elizabeth Vincel, Michael Wong.

Process:

SOP/VSDB and/or agency staff representatives will present information. After the overview(s), there will be time for questions.

State Operated Programs

Fa	<u>cilities</u>	<u>Presenter</u>	State Agency Contacts Karen Trump, Director of SOP and VSDBs (VDOE)
(1)	Department of Correctional Education	Sharon Trimmer	Lanett Brailey (VDOE)
(2)	VA School for the Deaf and the Blind at Staunton and, VA School for the Deaf, Blind	Nancy Armstrong (Staunton) Darlene White (Hampton)	Steve Sage (VDOE)
	And Multi-Disabled at Hampton		
(3)	State Mental Retardation Facilities	Debbie Overfelt	Shirley Ricks (MHMRSAS) Sharon Siler (VDOE)
(4)	State Mental Health Facilities	Terry Sumey	Nancy Haynes (VDOE) Irene Walker-Bolton (VDOE)
(5)	Regional & Local Detention Homes	Nancy Haynes	Nancy Haynes (VDOE) Lanett Brailey (VDOE)
(6)	Hospital Education Programs	Nancy Artis	Nancy Haynes (VDOE) Diane Gillam (VDOE)
(7)	Woodrow Wilson Rehab. Center	Kathy Trossi Will not present at this time.	Nancy Haynes (VDOE) Pat Abrams (VDOE)

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1:00 – 1:15 p.m.

Refreshments, Welcome, & Introduction (Nancy Haynes, Karen Trump)

1:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Review of State Operated Programs Changes in Policies & Procedures:

- 1. State Mental Retardation Facilities
- 2. State Mental Health Facilities
- 3. Virginia School for the Deaf and the Blind at Staunton
- 4. Virginia School for the Deaf and the Blind and Multi-Disabled at Hampton
- 5. Hospital Education Programs
- 6. Woodrow Wilson Rehabilitation Center
- 7. Department of Correctional Education
- 8. Regional & Local Detention Homes

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Suggestions for Future Review Process

3:00 - 3:15p.m

Public Comment